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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF : Cochran, et al.
FOR : **APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR
PROVIDING SPATIALLY-SELECTIVE
ON-LINE MASS OR VOLUME
MEASUREMENTS OF
MANUFACTURED ARTICLES**
SERIAL NO. : 10/074,370
FILED : February 12, 2002
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The initial period for responding to the Office Action issued April 29, 2003 expired on July 29, 2003. This petition is hereby made for a three month extension of time up to and including October 29, 2003, in which to respond to the Office Action.

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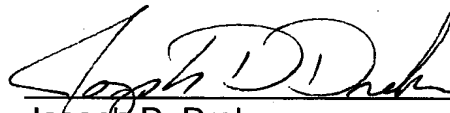
The requested extension and appropriate small entity fee are as follows:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$ 55.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Two month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$210.00 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Three month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$475.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Four month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$740.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Five month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$1,005.00 |

A check in the amount of \$475.00 is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

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